

schools and colleges for students who pass the S. S. L. C. examination, one additional high school may be established in Bangalore City.

Mr. B. Venkataramaiya.—Many students who have passed the S. S. L. C. have discontinued studies for want of seats in the Collegiate High Schools. If collegiate classes are opened in every district high school, the difficulty of securing seats would be less.

Mr. R. Gopalaswami Iyer.—There are only three high schools in Bangalore City and the number of seats are limited. It is better to have more high schools there.

Reply of Government.—We must improve the existing high schools first. If private agencies wish to start high schools Government would be very glad to help them as much as possible. There is a National High School in Bangalore and we may encourage it. Government have also since opened science classes in every district. In one year; four new collegiate classes have been opened.

SUBJECT No. 98.

- (1) and (2) Loan Scholarships.
(3) An Educational Bank for the State.

(1) & (2) *Mr. R. Gopalaswami Iyer*, Bangalore District Board; Messrs. Channakesaviiah, Tirthahalli Taluk, A. Ananthiah, Nagar Sabha, C. Subba Rao, Shimoga District Board and S. R. Balakrishna Rao, Shimoga Taluk.

(3) Messrs. H. Krishnasastri, Venkatasubbiah and Sambhu Gowda, Krishnarajpete Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—(1) A system of loan scholarships, on the model of the system existing in Japan and Baroda may be instituted for students who are Mysoreans by birth or domicile reading in the local general and technical colleges; as well as for those who wish to study in or outside India.

(2) Government may be pleased to give financial help to poor students who give up study for want of means and recoup the amount taking personal or property security.

(3) An Educational Bank may be established in the State for affording necessary relief to the really deserving poor students desirous of having higher education.

Mr. Gopalaswami Iyer.—Loan scholarships should be instituted to be given to candidates who are studying in the local colleges, general and technical in place of the scholarships now given. There are many students who have to give up their studies on account of poverty. These loan scholarships will be a great help to such students. They may be given on personal or property security and recovered later. A scholarship fund may be instituted for this purpose. The number of State scholarships may be reduced.

Dewan.—Your suggestion will be noted.

SUBJECT No. 99.

Scholarships to malnad and technical students.

Mr. Channakesaviya, Tirthahalli Taluk.
Mr. A. Ananthaiya, Nagar Sabha;
Mr. C. Subba Rao, Shimoga District Board.

Summary of discussion.—The malnad is backward in education. Students of the malnad that study in higher and collegiate classes may be granted free scholarships.

Free scholarships may be granted to Malnad students who have finished their School Final course and who

continue their courses in Mechanical Engineering, Forest and Agricultural classes.

The Government may be pleased to give more scholarships to the deserving poor students with a view to improve Agriculture and Industries in the State.

Mr. Chennakesaviah.—Education is backward in the Malnad. School fees must be abolished. Some scholarships should be given to malnad students.

Dewan.—You may refer the matter to the Malnad Improvement Committee and if they say that some money may be earmarked for scholarships, Government will consider the question.

Mr. Srinivasa Rao.—When the District Board said that some money must be earmarked for scholarships Government vetoed the proposal.

Dewan.—Government will reconsider their decision in connection with a scheme now under consideration.

Summary of discussion.—(1) There are a very few merit scholarships for the Secondary School Leaving Certificate students. Some new scholarships at least 20 for the Secondary School Leaving Certificate men and 15 for the University Entrance men may be instituted.

(2) Scholarships may be liberally given, so that poor people of all classes may derive the benefits of education.

Mr. Ananthiah.—More freeships should be given to the students coming from malnad for higher arts courses and also for the Mechanical Engineering and Agricultural courses.

Mr. S. R. Balakrishna Rao.—In the general scheme now before Government, the malnad should be kept distinct from the maidan and more scholarships given to the malnad students.

Dewan.—This suggestion is noted for consideration with a scheme now before Government.

Summary of discussion.—Several boys of the brahmin community have discontinued their High School education owing to poverty. The Government of His Highness have offered great facilities for the education of children of all communities for the advancement of the country but the help given is not enough. The brahmins have made education their chief means of livelihood. Special scholarships may therefore be granted to students of this community, as to those of backward communities.

Mr. K. Ramanna.—There are many poor brahmins in villages who know no trade or industry and their

SUBJECT No. 100.

(1) S. S. L. C. and Entrance merit scholarships.

(2) Scholarships to poor students.

Messrs. S. R. Balakrishna Rao, Shimoga Taluk; A. Ananthiah, Nagar Sabha; C. Subba Rao, Shimoga District Board.

(2) Mr. Krishnappa, Closepet Sub-Taluk.

SUBJECT No. 101.

Scholarships to Brahmin students.

Mr. K. Ramanna, Sidlaghatta Municipality.